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SUBJ: VJESNIK REPORT ABOUT BOMBING OF YUGOSLAV UN MISSION

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1. JUNE 24 ISSUE OF ZAGREB DAILY VJESNIK CARRIES A REPORT ABOUT THE BOMB EXPLOSION AT THE YUGOSLAV MISSION TO UN, WRITTEN BY ITS US CORRESPONDENT TOMISLAV BUTORAC. THE ARTICLE QUOTES AT LENGTH DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN'S CONDEMNATION OF THE INCIDENT AND FEATURES THE POLICE PROMISE OF AN ENERGETIC INVESTIGATION. HOWEVER, BUTORAC ALSO CLAIMS THAT THE US HAS BECOME A "PARADISE" FOR ADHERENTS OF ALL TYPES OF DEFEATED MOVEMENTS, FROM FASCISM AND NAZISM AFTER THE SECOND WORLD WAR, TO "MERCENARIES AND PUPPETS" FROM VIETNAM AND CAMBODIA. AMONG SUCH GROUPS IN THE US ARE "USTASHI AND CHETNIKS", WHO SENSE A FAVORABLE CLIMATE AND UNDERTAKE TERRORIST ACTS WITH THE AIM OF "CLOUD &" US-YUGOSLAV RELATIONS BEFORE PRESIDENT FORD'S "EXPECTED" VISIT TO YUGOSLAVIA.

2. VJESNIK ARTICLE CREDITS NEW YORK POLICE FOR ARRIVING QUICKLY AFTER THE EXPLOSION. HOWEVER, BUTORAC ALSO WRITES THAT THE BOMBING, THE THIRD CRIMINAL ACT DIRECTED AGAINST YUGOSLAV DIPLOMATIC REPRESENTATIVES IN RECENT MONTHS, IS EVIDENCE OF THE "INDOLENT BEHAVIOR" OF THE NEW YORK POLICE. VJESNIK
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ALSO REPORTS THAT THE REPRESENTATIONS WHICH UN SECRETARY

GENERAL WALDHEIM MADE TO US AUTHORITIES AFTER THE INCIDENT
CONSTITUTE A "CRITICISM" OF US POLICE.
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